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SIMULTANEOUS OPENING OF DRAWERS OF)
A CABINET)
Group Art Unit: **3637**)
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RESPONSE AND AMENDMENT

Commissioner For Patents & Trademarks
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Sir:

In response to the Office Action mailed January 25th, 2006, please amend the above-identified patent application as follows:

Amendments to the Abstract begin on page 2 of this paper.

Amendments to the Claims are reflected in the listing of claims that begins on page 3 of this paper.

Remarks/Arguments begin on page 7 of this paper.